Please Direct All Correspondence to Customer Number **20995****AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Applicant : Songjie Xu  
 App. No : 09/754,406  
 Filed : January 2, 2001  
 For : METHODOLOGY AND  
 APPLICATIONS OF TIMING-DRIVEN  
 LOGIC RESYNTHESIS FOR VLSI  
 CIRCUITS  
 Examiner : Thomas H. Stevens  
 Art Unit : 2123

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August 9, 2005

(Date)

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**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

(X) Amendment in 13 pages.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
Excess Claims > 20	33 - 35 = 0	1202 (\$50)	0 x 50 =	\$0
Independent > 3	6 - 7 = 0	1201 (\$200)	0 x 200 =	\$0
Multiple Claim	1.16(j)	1203 (\$360)		\$0
1 Month Extension	1.17(a)(1)	1251 (\$120)		\$
2 Month Extension	1.17(a)(2)	1252 (\$450)		\$450
3 Month Extension	1.17(a)(3)	1253 (\$1,020)		\$
			<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>	<b>450</b>

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

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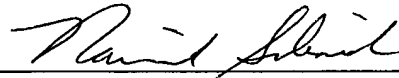
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- (X) A check in the amount of \$450 is enclosed.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.
- (X) Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.



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